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EO 11652: N/A

TAGS: ECON, EIND, ELTN, ZA

SUBJECT: ZAMBIA COPPER COMPANIES DECLARE FORCE MAJEURE

1. LOCAL AMAX REP (HALLE) HAS CONFIRMED DECLARATION BY TWO ZAMBIAN COPPER COMPANIES NCCM AND RCM OF FORCE MAJEURE EFFECTIVE SEPT 3 AND APPROVED BY ZAMBIAN GOVT ON 20 PERCENT OF 1975 CONTRACTUAL COPPER SHIPMENTS TO CUSTOMERS UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

2. JOINT NCHANGA/ROAN PRESS STATEMENT BEING RELEASED TODAY SAYS DECISION NECESSITATED AS RESULT ZAMBIA'S TRANSPORTATION DIFFICULTIES FOLLOWING CLOSING OF ANGOLAN PORT OF LOBITO, TOGETHER WITH REDUCTION IN ZAMBIAN PRODUCTION IN COMPLAINT WITH 15 PERCENT CIPEC CUTBACK.

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Message Attributes

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